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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

**Kazumasa IKUSHIMA**

Group Art Unit: 1762

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For: **METHOD OF UNIFORMLY APPLYING A PASTE ON A PASTE APPLYING BODY (as amended)**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 27, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 28, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Title** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.